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SUBJECT: UNESCO CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET

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- 1. PERMDEL RECOMMENDS THAT US SEND A LETTER, OR NOTE, TO M'BOW INFORMING HIM OF IMPOSSIBILITY OF ANY US CONTRIBUTION CALENDAR YEARS 76 AND 77. ALTHOUGH WORD WILL SURELY GET AROUND, AS A COURTESY TO M'BOW IT WOULD BE WELL TO GIVE HIM SOME FORMAL NOTIFICATION SO THAT HE CAN PLAN. THIS IS PARTICULARLY TRUE SINCE TOTAL US ARREAGE WILL BY CY 77 BE IN NEIGHBORHOOD 75 MILLION. SUCH A FORMAL NOTIFICATION WILL TAKE OFF SOME OF THE STING AND AT LEAST SHOW RESPECT FOR HIS POSITION. TO FAIL TO GIVE M'BOW ANY NOTICE OR WARNING WILL APPEAR AS DELIBERATE US ATTEMPT TO HUMILIATE HIM BY NOT ACCORDING HIM THE RESPECT HE FEELS ENTITLED TO BY VIRTUE OF HIS POSITION.
- 2. FACT THAT US SENT A LETTER TO ILO WITH SPECIFICS FOR CORRECTIVE ACTION HAS OFTEN BEEN MENTIONED HERE. SOMETHING SIMILAR TO UNESCO WOULD, AT MINIMUM, LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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CLARIFY THE SITUATION AND GET OFFICIAL US POSITION ON

RECORD TO WHICH REFERENCE CAN BE MADE. THIS IS PARTIC-ULARLY TRUE SINCE THERE HAS NOW BEEN AN EXECUTIVE AS WELL AS CONGRESSIONAL DECISION AND M'BOW WILL CERTAINLY FEEL ENTITLED OFFICIALLY TO KNOW THE RATIONAL AND THE STEPS DEEMED NECESSARY TO RESUME US PARTICIPATION.

3. IDEALLY, SUCH A LETTER WOULD BE UNDER SIGNATURE OF THE SECRETARY AND IN REPLY TO RECENT LETTER SENT RE US CONTRIBUTION. HOWEVER, ANYTHING WOULD BE BETTER THAN NOTHING. LETTER OR NOTE UNDER SIGNATURE OF PERMREP WOULD AT LEAST HAVE OFFICIAL STAMP. RUSH

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